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Ken Brown
Western Hills
288 West Center
Kanab, Utah 84741

Subject: Permit Fees Still Need to be Paid, while Mine is being Reclaimed, Western Hills,
Firepit 1-4, S0530034, Washington County, Utah

Dear Mr. Brown:

You have indicated on the billing statement that the Firepit 1-4 site is being reclaimed this fall, implying that no permit fee is required. Permit fees are required to be paid until the site is reclaimed and vegetation has survived three growing season and met surrounding cover requirements.

Enclosed please find a new billing statement. Payment must be received within 30 days. If you have any questions please contact me at (801) 538-5258 or susanwhite@utah.gov. Please also notify the Division when reclamation is complete by filling in and mailing the attached form. Thanks for your response.

Sincerely,

Susan M. White
Mining Program Coordinator
Minerals Regulatory Program

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Enclosure: Billing Statement and Application for Site and/or Bond Release

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